



# MINUTES

## SENATE REVENUE AND TAXATION STANDING COMMITTEE

Tuesday, March 5, 2019 | 9:00 a.m. | 250 State Capitol

**Members Present:**

Sen. Curtis S. Bramble  
Sen. Wayne A. Harper  
Sen. Deidre M. Henderson  
Sen. Evan J. Vickers

Sen. Lincoln Fillmore, Chair  
Sen. Gene Davis  
Sen. Luz Escamilla  
Sen. Daniel Hemmert

**Members Absent:**

**Staff Present:**

Mr. Alex R. Janak, Policy Analyst  
Ms. Nancy Skidmore, Committee Secretary

Note: A copy of related materials and an audio recording of the meeting can be found at [www.le.utah.gov](http://www.le.utah.gov).

Acting Chair Harper called the meeting to order at 9:12 a.m.

**MOTION:** Sen. Henderson moved to approve the minutes of the March 1, 2019 meeting. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 5.

Yeas-3  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Henderson

Nays-0

Absent-5  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. E. Vickers

### 1 . S.B. 201 Oil and Gas Tax Incentives Amendments (*Winterton, R.*)

**MOTION:** Sen. Bramble moved to replace S.B. 201 with 1st Substitute S.B. 201. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 5.

Yeas-3  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Henderson

Nays-0

Absent-5  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. E. Vickers

Sen. Winterton presented the bill with the assistance of Mr. Howard Stephenson, President, Utah Taxpayers Association.

Mr. Jeff Hartley, Lobbyist, Oil and Gas Producers, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Howard Stephenson, President, Utah Taxpayers Association, spoke to the bill.

Ms. Rikki Hrenko Browning, President, Utah Petroleum Association, spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Jeff Peterson, Executive Director, Utah Rural Electric Cooperative Association, spoke in favor of the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Henderson moved to move to next agenda item. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 5.

Yeas-3  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Henderson

Nays-0

Absent-5  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. E. Vickers

**2 . 2nd Sub. H.B. 235 Local Tax Amendments (*Knotwell, J.*)**

Rep. Knotwell presented the bill.

**MOTION:** Sen. Henderson moved to pass 2nd Substitute H.B. 235 out favorably. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 5.

Yeas-3  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Henderson

Nays-0

Absent-5  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. E. Vickers

**MOTION:** Sen. Bramble moved to adjourn. The motion passed with a vote of 3 - 0 - 5.

Yeas-3  
Sen. C. Bramble  
Sen. W. Harper  
Sen. D. Henderson

Nays-0

Absent-5  
Sen. G. Davis  
Sen. L. Escamilla  
Sen. L. Fillmore  
Sen. D. Hemmert  
Sen. E. Vickers

Acting Chair Harper adjourned the meeting at 9:49 a.m.